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SUBJECT : General Walters' 10 October Conversation
With Assistant Soviet Army Attache

During our Monday, 20 October, conversation, Secretary Laird mentioned a recent cable from General Walters recounting some conversations with Colonel Sinitsyn, Assistant Soviet Army Attache in Paris. When I drew a blank, Secretary Laird offered to send me a copy of Walters' report. It arrived today (22 October) and upon examining the cable and checking with our Operations Center it appears that this document has not been previously distributed to anyone in CIA. I am, therefore, sending it to the recipients of this memorandum. Since the cable does not appear to be particularly sensitive and carried only a "CONFIDENTIAL" classification, I see no reason why any of you should refrain from making whatever additional copies are necessary to meet the needs of your associates.

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